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Thursday Morning.

Dear friends Loring and Jackson:

69 The bearer of this — Henry Williams — who appears to be a very worthy and industrious colored man, is in trouble in regard to certain articles of his, which are at present at the Worcester depot, and which he needs, but has not quite money enough to redeem them. He will tell you his simple story, in a few words. He does not ask for any gratuity, but only wants a little time to earn the money ($3) required to pay for the transportation of his things from New Haven. If my pockets were not entirely bare and empty, I would aid him to the extent of his wishes; for he has excellent recommendations of character from gentlemen residing in New Haven. I submit his case to your judgment and kindness.

Yours, truly, Wm. Lloyd Garrison.

Wm L Garrison
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Ellis Gray Loring,

or

Francis Jackson.

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